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SUBJECT: SYNOD VOTES TO INCREASE NUMBER OF BISHOPRICS

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1. PRESS AUGUST 14 REPORTS CYPRUS CHURCH SYNOD YESTERDAY ANNOUNCED
DECISION REFTTEL TO CREATE TWO NEW BISHOPRICS, RAISING NUMBER OF
SEES TO SIX. ACCORDING SYNOD ANNOUNCEMENT, KITIUM SEE
WILL BE SPLIT INTO BISHOPRICS OF KITIUM AND LIMASSOL;
KYRENIA SEE INTO BISHOPRICS OF KYRENIA AND MORPHOU.
ELECTIONS FOR NEW BISHOPS OF MORPHOU (SEAT IN MORPHOU)
AND KITIUM (SEAT IN LARNACA) TO BE PROCLAIMED.

2. IN MOVING TO DIVIDE TERRITORY OF DEFROCKED KYPRIANOU AND
ANTHIMOS, ARCHBISHOP DEFERRED ISSUE OF ELECTIONS TO REPLACE
THEM. THEY ARE STILL RESIDING IN KYRENIA AND LIMASSOL
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BISHOPRICS RESPECTIVELY. THEY ARE ISOLATED, HOWEVER, AND

MAKARIOS CONTROLS NEW SYNOD.
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